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Painter Arrested On Bad Check Charge

Abner W. Weaver, 59-year-old Sacramento painter, was booked at the county jail Monday night on a bad check charge. He is held in lieu of $500 cash or $1000 bond.

Weaver was arrested at Woodland on a complaint issued by the district attorney's office on Oct. 8.

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Artichokes Grow On Beach Land

Artichokes are growing on county-owned beach property, Recreation Supt. Ralph Shaw reported today, but they aren't doing any harm.

In fact, Shaw added, they're doing some good. The 'chokes are choking off weeds.

Shaw made his report at the request of Supervisor Thomas L Hickey, who wanted to know if he had seen right when he viewed the 'chokes on what he took to be county property. Shaw stated that Supervisor Hickey had seen correctly, the artichokes were at Sanchez Adobe and at San Gregorio Beach.

But Shaw had a question also. He asked to be provided with boundary descriptions of all county recreational areas so he could speak with authority on any further planting.

Three Persons Held On Drunk Charges

The California Highway Patrol Monday night arrested three persons on charges of drunken driving.

Delbert E. McFarland, 35-year-old Compton truck driver, was arrested on Bayshore Hwy. near Redwood City while he was driving a truck. Cameron A. Grier, 28, of 2819 San Juan Ave., Belmont, was picked up on Upton St. at the western Redwood City limits and Mellville J. Little, 51, San Francisco salesman, on El Camino Real near South San Francisco.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Schofield & Hanson, Attys.
SUMMONS—No. 47202
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo; and the complaint filed in said County of San Mateo in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

MARY A. HITE, Plaintiff, vs. HARRY W. HITE, Defendant.

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to:

HARRY W. HITE, Defendant

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, and answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons, if served within said County, if served elsewhere within thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1948.

(SEAL) W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Frances Cann, Deputy Clerk.

Schofield & Hanson, Central Tower, San Francisco 3, California, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Cleaners Boosting Prices in SM County

Most San Mateo County residents Wednesday were paying more to get their clothes cleaned, and the prices soon may be boosted for the rest.

Maurice Rutledge, owner of the Peninsula's biggest cleaning firm, San Carlos Cleaners, Wednesday confirmed what housewives were learning last week.

Rutledge said that he raised cleaning prices 10 per cent a week ago.

By now, about 75 per cent of the cleaning establishments in San Mateo County had followed Rutledge's lead with the "across the board" price boost.

In Redwood City, the higher prices were adopted by about 40 per cent of the firms. In Palo Alto, the percentage was 75. In the north end of the county, about 50 per cent of the cleaners were charging more.

Rutledge said that in San Carlos, where his home plant is located, the price boost was adopted 100 per cent.

The firms which have kept the old price will have to boost theirs soon, Rutledge predicted.

"They'll either raise or go out of business," he declared. "It's their own funeral."

By the new scale, the following prices were being charged, depending on quality of work and the clothing:

Three-piere suits and ladies' dress minimum—Old price, $1.40 to $1.55. New price—$1.50 to $1.60.

Topcoats—Old price $1.50; new prices $1.65-$1.75-$2.00.

Sweaters—Old price 70c-85c. New price 85c and up.

A further extension of the price situation may result from a meeting of the Cooperative Cleaners and Dyers Assn., which will discuss prices tomorrow night at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel in San Mateo.

San Carlos Cleaners has 11 stores on the Peninsula and does a large amount of wholesale work for other dealers. Rutledge estimated that his firm did about 25 per cent of all the cleaning on the Peninsula, including Palo Alto.

The price increases were necessitated by rising costs, he declared.

"Last June we granted pay increases to employes," he explained, "but we haven't raised the prices since then.

"Some of the plants have not paid the retroactive pay raises yet."

He added that at present the cleaning business is undergoing a 20 per cent seasonal slump.

"It's tougher for all of us," he continued. "Supplies, including gasoline, have increased in cost. We've been beset by these raises.

"People are requiring such quality of work that to give it we have to charge more. It's just an economic force.

He said that labor costs alone have doubled since before the war. During the same period, the average cleaning cost rose from $1.10 to $1.25 to $1.40, he added.

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GARDEN: Thousands Raise Vegetables, Fruits, Flowers

BY ROLLY LANGLEY

It seems now like another era, and I guess it was. At any rate, it was only four years ago that greenthumbers of America did such a tremendous job of home food production—and don't tell me they didn't enjoy it. Of course, it was a patriotic gesture then, and it was fashionable. Don't think I'm trying to change human nature with the remark we're, most of us, pretty much slaves to fashion. I'd just like to change the fashion a bit.

Is a person a muttonhead because he follows others like a sheep? You can answer that to your own satisfaction. The point is in the opposite direction, anyway. I think we all admire a person who does what he thinks best, and does a good job of it. Thousands in Central California qualify as admirable gardeners. They're growing not only good vegetables and fruits, but manage to keep beautiful ornamental gardens as well.

James F. Stephens asks "Of what value is rabbit manure in the garden?" Rabbit manure is slightly higher in fertilizer values than cow manure, but only slightly. (Cow manure runs less than five per cent total nitrogen, phosphate and potash content.)

Rabbit manure, when well-rotted and composted is very satisfactory, but I don't believe it is as beneficial from a conditioning of the soil aspect, as cow manure.

J. F. S. asks also: What type of fertilizer should be used on lawns? What can be raised on the north side of a six foot board fence? What type of annual vines?

No fertilizer with the slightest chance of bearing weed seeds should be used on lawns. Commercial fertilizers containing the various elements essential have proven most satisfactory. I suggest dissolving the fertilizer in water before applying.

Little sun will hit the north side of a fence. How about ferns?

Annual vines which do well in California, but need sun, are morning glory, cobaea scandens (really a perennial, but you can treat it as an annual), normal ornamental gourds, scarlet runner beans—and the most popular, most colorful of all, sweet peas.

Mrs. William Sacks is troubled with too little sun, and a "cold, wet, moldy soil, in which flowers transplanted from flats grow only a few inches before dying."

Since the house produces the shade, we'll consider the shade permanent. However, poor drainage needn't be. Either dig trenches which slant downward and away from the plot, or add loam and raise the beds. Perhaps that would be easier.

Mrs. A. G. Lewis is 77, and she remembers as a girl, seeing her mother suspend a lantern over a tub of water at night to lure the cabbage moths in for a fatal ducking. "For a good with little effort," she continues, "I've never found anything better than ranunculus." I'm not quite as long on the search as Mrs. Lewis, but have already come to the same conclusion. And you can still plant ranunculus.

Mrs. Ivy Thoman has an unplanted border, 20 inches wide and raised 14 inches by a stone retaining wall. Behind it is a redwood stake fence, and she would like to plant something to create the optical illusion of lowering the fence line. This border gets sun all day, the fence being on the north side. She prefers something evergreen.

Strawberry guavas and dwarf Meyer lemons should fill the bill. For something purely ornamental, she might try hybrid genista, or daphnes (D. cneorum), camellias, coral trees, rock rose (cistus), or buddleia.

To dwarf the fence, I believe it would be best to avoid putting climbers on it. Do you agree?

Sales Tax, Other Devices Starving Cities, Bowron

BY STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Cities are being starved for revenue by federal and state use of the sales tax and other "painless" collection devices.

Mayor Fletcher Bowron of Los Angeles carried that complaint today to the American Municipal Assn. along with a demand that cities be permitted to seek new sources of revenue to meet soaring municipal costs.

"The local tax base must be broadened through state and/or federal action, or the other levels of government must be willing to finance cities in other ways," Bowron said.

As president and keynote speaker, Bowron told some 500 mayors and other city officials from 41 states that the three-day session can be "the most important one in the history of municipal government in this country."

The meeting marks the association's first attempt to unite cities on a half-dozen major policies with the frankly admitted aim of lobbying for them in Washington and in state capitols. Finance topped the list of problems which Bowron named as "crucial." Policies on housing improvement, recognition for municipal employes, civilian defense, and payment to the cities in place of taxes on state and federal property within city limits also are on the three-day agenda.

Bowron said city officials get more taxpayer complaints than any other officials because they are "closer to the people" and because most, if not all, of the "hidden and more or less painless taxes have been preempted by the federal and state governments."

"Although cities receive a relatively insignificant part of the tax dollar, municipal revenue stands out like a sore thumb because we still must rely largely on property taxes," he declared.

Bowron added that in 1932, at the bottom of the depression, local property taxes totaled $4,468,000,000 while in flush 1946 the receipts were only a trifle larger—$4,904,000,000.

Meanwhile, the cities are confronted with a tremendous backlog of public works and school and other construction which could not be done during the depression for want of funds and during the war for lack of materials, Bowron said. The problem now, he added, is lack of revenue and high building costs.

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Water Safety Plan Aired by Red Cross

Water safety plans were discussed at a meeting of the executive board of the Sequoia Chapter, American Red Cross, this week.

Among those who outlined plans to the board were William Budd, assistant director, first aid, water safety and accident prevention in the Pacific Area Red Cross, who told of the national policy; Clyde Devine, water safety chairman who told of the committee's plans; Mildred Erickson, executive secretary of the San Mateo Council of Social Agencies, who told of the interest of the council in the youth program, and Mel Kendall, director of recreation for Menlo Park, a former Red Cross water safety field director and a member of the water safety committee.

At the request of the Junior Red Cross, the Sequoia High School Treble Clef under the direction of Otis M. Carrington will sing carols during tree trimming time tonight at Veterans Hospital in North Palo Alto. Miss Elizabeth Sait is the Junior Red Cross teacher sponsor.

Gretchen Parks, a Sequoia student, yesterday accompanied Red Cross Gray Ladies to Veterans Hospital to do Spanish dances.

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Soy Sauce Jan U Wine—6½-oz. Gl. 19¢
White Rice Uncle Bens Converted—lb. 23¢
Bean Sprouts Jan U Wine—No. 2 13¢

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Biscuit Flour Globe A-1—40-oz. Package 43¢
Raisins Cinderella Seedless—15-oz. Package 14¢
Pumpkin Moon Beam—No. 2½ Can 10¢
Walnuts Mt. Diablo, Shelled—8-oz. Cello 49¢
Glace Fruit S & W Mixed—1-lb. Glass 45¢
Extract Schillings Vanilla—2-oz. Bottle 35¢
Mazola Oil Quart Can 77¢
Baking Powder Calumet—1-lb. Can 21¢
Hot Roll Mix Duffs—14½-oz. Package 25¢

ALICE! How in blazes do you always get one end of my steak so tough?

Now take it easy, Jim. Watch your blood pressure. We'll admit you have a point, though. With meat prices what they are today, no one wants to waste even a single bite... But maybe it's not all Alice's fault.

Your problem began in the way Nature arranges meat on every beef. You see, there are two kinds of lean meat in each beef animal. One kind cooks nice and tender by dry heat. The other kind requires moist-heat cooking. Nature, of course, does not worry about cooking methods—so she puts both kinds side by side. But they don't *have* to be sold in the same cut. So Alice's butcher must share the blame. The less-tender end of the steak should have been cut off before Alice bought. It belongs in stew meat or in ground beef. (Then it costs less per pound.)

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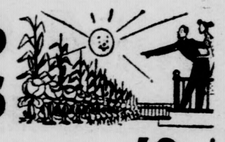

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Gum Drops Ultra Fine Giant—1-lb. Cello 23c
Vinegar S & W Cider—Quart Glass 16c
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Tomato Soup Campbell's 10½ oz. Can 2 for 19¢
Lima Beans Little Farmer, Green and White No. 2 Can 29¢
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GREEN BEANS	JACK AND THE BEAN STALK—FANCY CUT	No. 2 Tin	22¢

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Pecans	Funsten	3½-Oz. Tin	29¢	D.Monte Raisins	Seedless	15-Oz. Package	14¢
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Past Noble Grands Elect New Officers at Party

Past Noble Grands of Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge No. 48 met recently at the home of Mary Russell to elect new officers and to hold their annual Christmas party.

Lois DaMant was elected president for the coming year. Serving with her will be Victoria Faw, vice president; Grace Raffensperger, secretary; Myrtle Royer, treasurer; Mabel Foster, chaplain; Kathyerne Martin, marshal; and Ivy Kelting, publicity.

Games were played during the evening and members exchanged gifts.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 4 at the home of the new president, Lois DaMant at 2261 Euclid Ave., East Palo Alto.

Attending the meeting were Clara Ford, Kathyerne Martin, Mary Russell, Kathryn Martin, Laura Larson, Vinnie Wyant, Bessie Vernall, Gertrude MacPherson, Sarah Liken, Frances Dillard, Lois DaMant, Annie Biggs, Dorothea Martin, Evangeline Powell, Jennie Worth, Victoria Faw, Madeline Hefner, Mamie Glennan, Grace Raffensperger, Myrtle Royer, Ellen Ott, Mabel Foster, Agnes Barbour, Josephine Day, Ruth Rogers, Vira DeWitt, Leota Hummel and Ivy Kelting.

Betty Patten Aids At Pomona Party

Miss Betty Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Patten, 478 Avenue del Ora, helped with the serving for the annual Christmas supper at Pomona College Sunday evening in Frary Dining Hall on the campus in Claremont. Miss Patten is a sophomore majoring n psychology at Pomona College.

Three different dinner hours were needed for serving the members of the college student body, faculty, administration, and the board of trustees. The supper preceded the college's presentation of Handel's "Messiah" in Bridges Hall of Music at Pomona.

Throughout the supper hours the campus chapel choir of 25 voices sang Christmas carols. The tables and dining hall were festively decorated with the customary red and green colors, a large Christmas tree, several smaller trees, wreaths, bows, and other swmbols of the season.

This traditional annual Christmas supper is sponsored jointly by President and Mrs. E. Wilson Lyon and the Associated Students of Pomona College for those affiliated with the college. Members of the faculty and the student body are hosts and hostesses, servers, and other workers.

Santa Claus to Visit Trailer Village Here

Santa Claus is not forgetting the little folks who live in trailers.

He will visit them tomorrow at the Wanderlust Trailer Village at Bayshore Hwy. near Fifth Ave. Each boy and girl will be presented with a gift of goodies appropriate to the season.

Mrs. Lief Rovick heads the committee in charge of arrangements.

Card Party Tomorrow

The St. Francis Church in East Palo Alto will hold its annual card party tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the Church of the Nativity Hall in Menlo Park.

Roger Deas Talks At Garfield Party

Roger Deas, director of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, spoke last night at the annual Christmas party of the Garfield Parent-Teacher Assn. He told of the "Fourth Wise Man."

Christmas carols were sung by Garfield School students under the direction of Miss Mae Irons, fourth grade teacher. Community singing was led by Earl Whitaker, director of curriculum in the Redwood City Elementary School Dist.

Santa Claus was present, and refreshments were served. More than 100 persons attended.

Wallace B. Kirkes was in charge of the program. Mrs. Kirkes is president of the Garfield PTA.

Forum Letter

To the Editor:

I read with considerable interest of the formation of the San Mateo County Taxpayers Assn. and feel that it is rather a timely and constructive move. Naturally I wish them Godspeed. However, may I also give a word of warning and sound the inherent fear of the average man and small (so-called) taxpayer: "Just another and new pressure group to further the pet projects and schemes of the big shots." The small man is hoping for and willing to follow the leadership of sincere civic minded individuals and groups, but they are warry and discouraged, because generally most of them in the past have deteriorated into self-seeking pressure groups.

Therefore, to give the people an opportunity to judge this new organization fairly and justly, I suggest that amongst projects planned and on their agenda, they include as a first objective the following suggested items, and that they give the widest possible publicity to facts and figures as found, without fear or favor:

1. Investigate the advinistrative setup of the county and each city in the county, with a view to determining their present efficiency, economy of operation, possibilities of avoiding duplications and avoidance of waste and misuse of personnel. My observation in the brief time I have been a resident in the county leads me to the belief that present setup is not necessarily conducive to efficiency and economy.

2. Investigate and get factual data on the distribution of the tax load; to determine whether or not business, industry, professional services and residential properties are bearing proper proportion of such tax load.

3. Duplicate item one insofar as same relates to the county educational administration. (Such investigation to cover both elementary and high school districts.)

LOUIS WEISS

Social News and Notes About People in Pescadero

Mrs. Antone Davis is spending this week in Redwood City with Mr. and Mrs. M. Woodhams.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Horton were San Mateo visitors on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore Jr. spent the weekend with the Walter Moore Srs. in Redwood City and on Sunday they all returned here to visit relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Madrid and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fama of San Francisco spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perruccio.

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Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Borley entertained a number of their relatives at their ranch home here last weekend. Guests included Mrs. Cyril Gilcrest and children of Half Moon Bay, Mrs. William Renshaw of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilcrest of Sonoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Elkington and family of San Francisco.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tenny and son of Berkeley were the weekend guests of Mrs. Agnes Tenny.

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Weekend guests of Walter Wolf and his mother were Mr. and Mrs. John Shane and children of Los Gatos.

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Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Quadro, who were married recently, had as their weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hoffmann and son and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henry and son of San Francisco.

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Mrs. James Burns and Mrs. Donald Granger spent two days in San Francisco last week.

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William Hesselein spent two days this week with his family in San Francisco.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woodman, Mrs. Jane Avery and son of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gianone of Swanton were weekend guests of Grover M. Steele.

Mrs. Anna Weeks of Loma Mar is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Shook, at her home in Watsonville.

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The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Duarte was baptized on Sunday at St. Anthony's Church. The baby godparents are Grace and Joseph Duarte.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy White were San Francisco shoppers on Saturday.

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Mrs. Houston Offill and daughter and Mrs. Doris Vierria were Redwood City shoppers on Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank George returned home from St. Joseph's Hospital in San Francisco on Sunday following a recent operation.

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Mrs. Hattie Johnson of San Francisco has been the house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Rose.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. J. F. O'Shea, 10 17th Ave., Atherton, a son was born Dec. 15 in Palo Alto Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond K. Jacobsen, 1008 Montgomery St., San Carlos, a daughter was born Dec. 15 in Palo Alto Hospital.

Mrs. Louis Mattei, Mrs. F. Fowler and Mrs. M. R. Mattei attended a Rebekah meeting in Palo Alto last week.

Junior Chamber to Hold Dinner Dance Tomorrow

Redwood City Junior Chamber of Commeree members and guests will hold their annual Christmas dinner dance tomorrow night at the Belmont Casino at 7 o'clock.

Arrangements are being handled by Clarence Terry. He reported that approximately 120 persons will be on hand to greet Santa Claus when he makes his appearance after dinner.

SANTA CLAUS

has come to the Court of the Beloved Oak

In Person

See him daily:

Saturday: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Thursday Nights: 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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Lucky Trimmed Sugar Cured Smoked Picnics Fine for Baking lb. 49¢

Lucky Trimmed Finest Eastern Loin Pork Roast Whole or Half lb. 55¢

Lucky Trimmed Choice Steer Beef Roast Fancy Shoulder Cut lb. 55¢

FRYERS Fresh Dressed lb. 59¢

GROUND BEEF Fresh Lean lb. 59¢

Lamb Roast Genuine Spring Square Cut Shoulder lb. 59¢

CRABS Fresh Cooked lb. 29¢

BACON Eastern Sugar Cured Sliced 1-lb. layer lb. 69¢

BEEF STEW Boneless Choice Steer lb. 69¢

VEAL STEAK Fancy Shoulder Cut lb. 69¢

Salmon Steaks Fresh, Red lb. 65¢

PRODUCE

POTATOES Klamath Gems 10 lbs. 35¢

APPLES Fancy Watsonville Delicious 3 lbs. 29¢

ORANGES Fancy New Crop Navels 5 lbs. 29¢

CRANBERRIES Fancy Cape Cod Late Howe lb. 23¢

CABBAGE Fresh Solid White Heads lb. 4½¢

BROCCOLI Fresh, Tender Green Heads lb. 15¢

XMAS Wreaths 12-inch Diameter. Made from Redwood Boughs each 35¢

Celery Hearts Fancy Fresh. No Waste. In Cello Bags each 19¢

RUTABAGAS Fancy Washington U. S. No. 1 lb. 6¢

FACIAL SOAP SWEETHEART Bath Bar 14¢ Reg. bar 2 for 19¢

Sweet Pickles LIBBY SWEET MIXED 12-oz. jar 17¢

BABY FOOD LIBBY Assorted STRAINED 4½-oz. can 3 for 25¢

Vienna Sausage ARMOUR 4-oz. can 13¢

BEEF STEW ARMOUR 20-oz. can 59¢

CAT FOOD PUSS & BOOTS Tall No. 1 can 2 for 25¢

VEGETABLES MIXED LIBBY GARDEN 17-oz. can 17¢

WAX PAPER WAXTEX 125-ft. roll 23¢

OXYDOL Large Package 33¢

DUZ DOES EVERYTHING Large Package 33¢

DREFT Large Package 29¢

SPIC N' SPAN 16-oz. pkg. 24¢

DOG FOOD CALO Tall No. 1 can 2 for 23¢

Sweet Pickles LIBBY 8-oz. jar 25¢

WAX OLD ENGLISH NO RUBBING Quart can 89¢

TIDE Large Package 34¢

TAMALES ARMOUR 16-oz. jar 29¢

PINEAPPLE MILK Golden State Evaporated Tall Can 3 for 37¢

PINEAPPLE Del Monte Sliced Tall No. 2 can 29¢

PINEAPPLE Del Monte Crushed Tall No. 2 can 29¢

SALAD OIL Jewel Quart bottle 59¢

PINEAPPLE JUICE Del Monte Large 46-oz. can 37¢

PORK & BEANS VAN CAMP'S Large No. 2½ can 19¢

DRIED BEEF Beardsley 1½-oz. jar 27¢

FRUIT CAKE Jane Martin 28 oz. 69¢

CAKE FLOUR Fishers 2-lb. pkg. 28¢

BAKING CHOCOLATE Bakers Premium or Dot. 8-oz. pkg. 39¢

CRANBERRY SAUCE Ocean Spray Strained or Whole 16-oz. can 2 for 33¢

PUMPKIN Libby 17-oz. can 9¢

MINCE MEAT Pride 20-oz. jar 39¢

RAISINS Sun Maid Seedless 15-oz. pkg. 16¢

PLUM PUDDING R & R or Crosse & Blackwell 16-oz. can 49¢

TAPIOCA Minute 8-oz. pkg. 17¢

SARDINES Nor-East Maine Sardines in Oil 3¼-oz. can 2 for 27¢

COOKIE MIX Qwixy Raisin Oatmeal or Sugar 12-oz. pkg. 25¢

Fruit Cocktail Lady Lee Tall No. 1 Can 23¢

HAMBURGERS Claridge in Mushroom Sauce 16-oz. can 61¢

BALLARD BISCUITS Ready to Bake 10 Biscuits Per Can Can 15¢

PRUNE JUICE Sunsweet 12-oz. can 9¢

CHOCOLATE Squares Suchards Almond, Milka or Bittra 6-oz. pkg. 29¢

HONEY Sioux Bee Creme 16-oz. carton 33¢

PAPER TOWELS Zee 150 count roll 2 for 27¢

Orange MARMALADE Lady Lee Pantry Bucket 16-oz. glass bucket 20¢

PEAS Lady Lee Sweet 11-oz. Can 10¢

GREEN BEANS Lady Lee Cut Tall No. 2 can 17¢

SLICED BEETS Lady Lee No. 2 Can 16¢

CORN Lady Lee Golden Cream Style Tall No. 2 can 17¢

COTTAGE CHEESE Lady Lee Creamed or Farmer Style 16-oz. pkg. 26c, 8-oz. pkg 15¢

HASH CORNED BEEF ARMOUR 16-oz. can 35¢

COFFEE ALTA 3-lb jar 1.53

PICKLES LIBBY HOME MADE STYLE 17-oz. jar 23¢

WHITE KING GRANULATED SOAP Large package 33¢

Deviled Meat ARMOUR 3¼-oz. can 2 for 19¢

BLU-WHITE BLUES WHILE WASHING 2¼-oz. pkg. 3 for 29¢

GIVE
CAST ALUMINUM WATERLESS COOKWARE for Xmas
Lucky
30 DAY FREE TRIAL Satisfaction Guaranteed
SAVE OVER 40% ON OUR CARD PLAN
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BAG-O-BLOX With Harmless Vegetable Coloring 39¢

DOLLS 10-inch Composition with Assorted Dresses 79¢

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Extension Cords Electric 15-Foot Length 49¢

TUMBLERS 9-ounce Decorated Table Size, A Holiday Must! Set of 8 35¢

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XMAS CHOCOLATES Assorted, Delicious Candy for the Holidays 2½-lb. Box 1.89

CHEESE APPETIZERS Red Rooster Brand, Choice of Six Varieties Each 19¢

SWISS CHEESE Large Eye lb. 79¢

RIPE OLIVES Large Colossal Half pint 23¢

Turkey PIES Ideal for Snack or Unexpected Guests Each 33¢

BLEU CHEESE Blue Vein and Creamy lb. 79¢

SALAMI Dry Italian Type lb. 98¢

STUFFED OLIVES Half Pint 39¢

FRIED CHICKEN Turned to a tasty golden brown, Your choice, any half Each 59¢

MINCE MEAT For Those Holiday Pies lb. 25¢

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